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10 **UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**
11 **EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

12 In re:

13 GIGA WATT, Inc., a Washington
14 corporation,
15 Debtor.

16 MARK D. WALDRON, as Chapter 7
17 Trustee,

18 Plaintiff,

19 vs.

20 PERKINS COIE LLP, a Washington
21 limited liability partnership,
22 LOWELL NESS, an individual and
23 California resident, and TIMUR
24 USMANOV, an individual and
25 Russian citizen,

1 Defendants.

2 Case No. 18-03197 FPC 11

3 The Honorable Frederick P. Corbit
4 Chapter 7

5 Adv. Case No. 20-80031

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7 **JOINT STATUS REPORT**

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10 Mark D. Waldron, Chapter 7 Trustee, on the one hand, and Perkins Coie
11 LLP and Lowell Ness, on the other, have conferred pursuant to this Court's Notice
12 of Scheduling Conference, ECF No. 140. The Honorable Benjamin P. Hursh, as
13 mediator, is continuing to make progress toward a global settlement of the above-
14 captioned adversary proceeding and the action brought by Jun Dam, on behalf of
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1 all WTT holders, that is currently pending in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern
2 District of Washington, *Dam v. Perkins Coie LLP*, Case No. 20-cv-464-SAB.

3 The undersigned parties wish to allow that process to continue until this
4 Friday, February 10, 2023 and to submit a follow up report to this Court on
5 Monday, February 13, 2023, before 12:00 p.m. Pacific Standard Time.

6 Dated: February 7, 2023

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